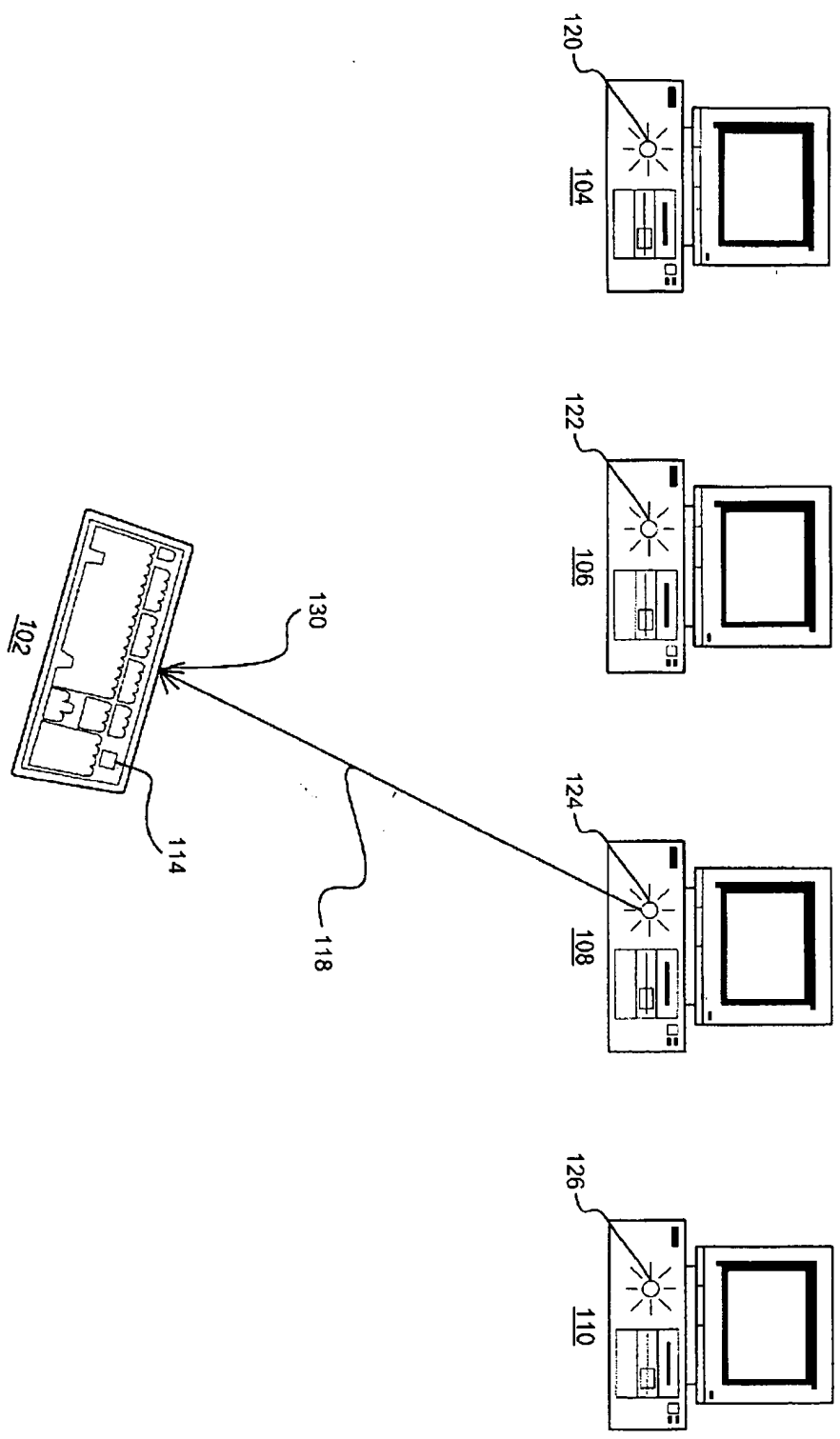


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Multiple Computer Environment with
Heterogeneous/Interoperable Keyboard
Figure 1
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FIG. 1 is a block diagram of a multiple computer environment with a heterogeneous/interoperable keyboard. The keyboard 102 is connected to four computer workstations 104, 106, 108, and 110. Each workstation includes a monitor and a base unit. The keyboard 102 is shown with various functional areas labeled 114 and 118. A central line 130 connects the keyboard to the workstations, indicating a shared or multiplexed connection. The workstations are labeled 120, 122, 124, and 126, likely representing different user stations or processing units.

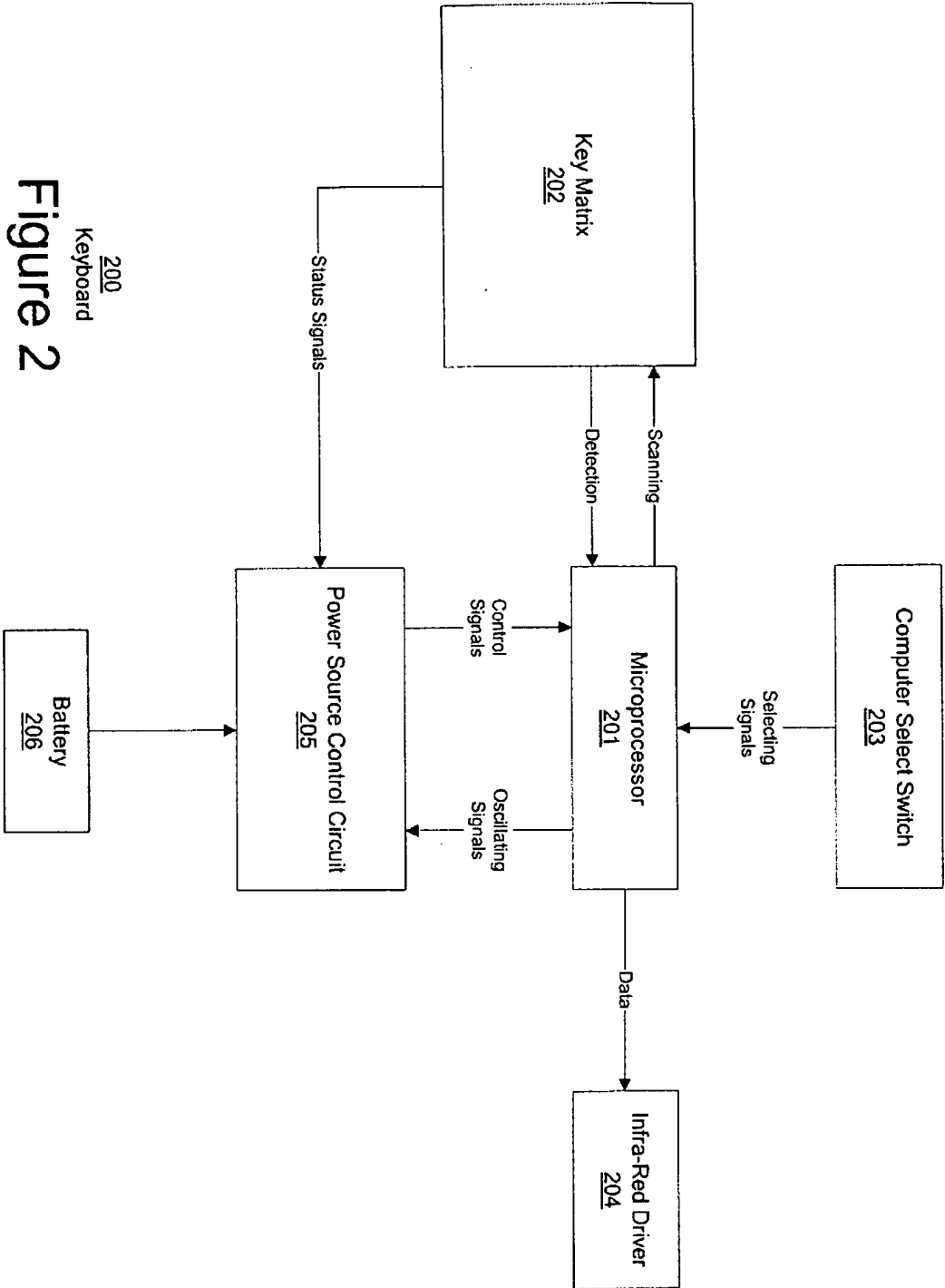
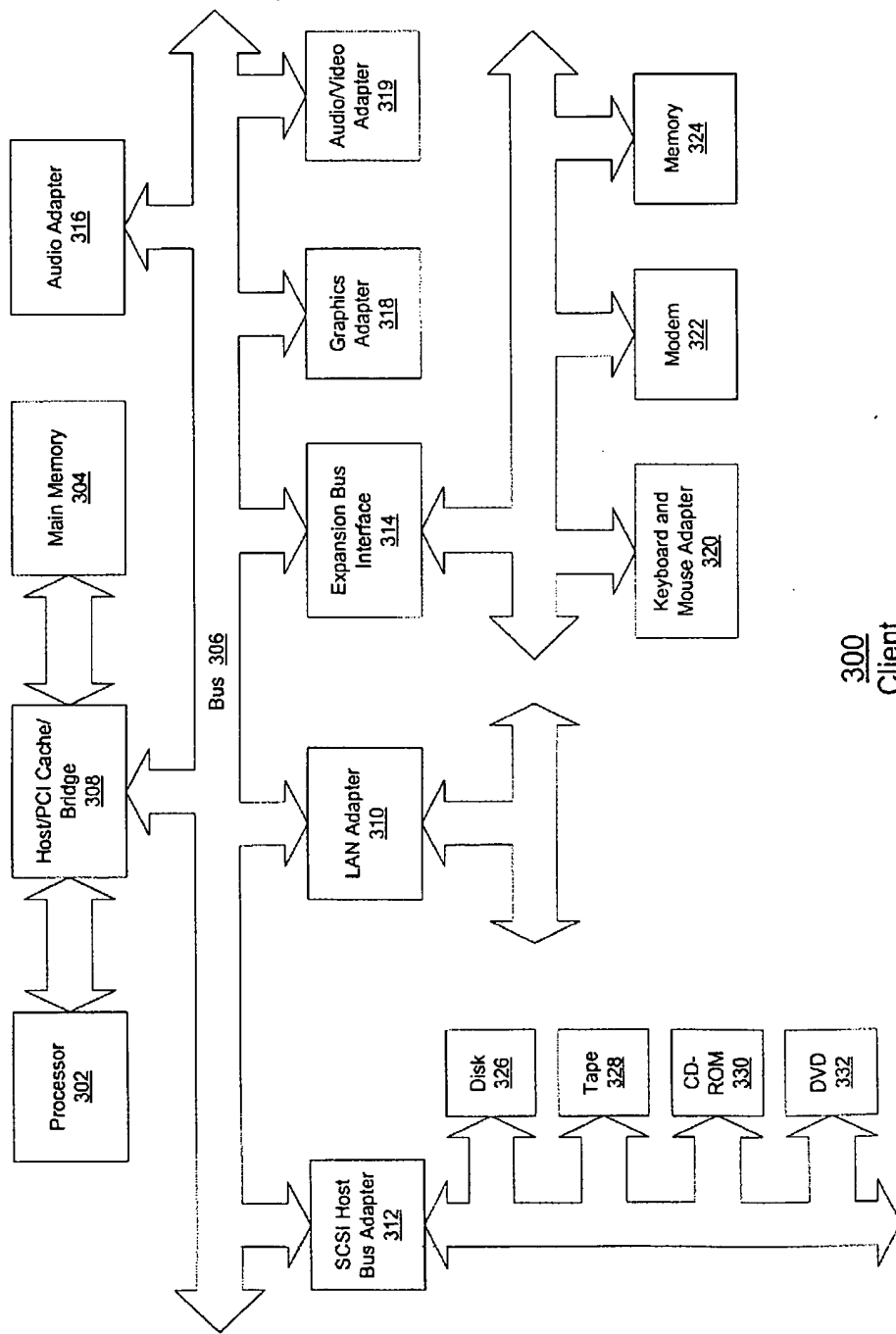
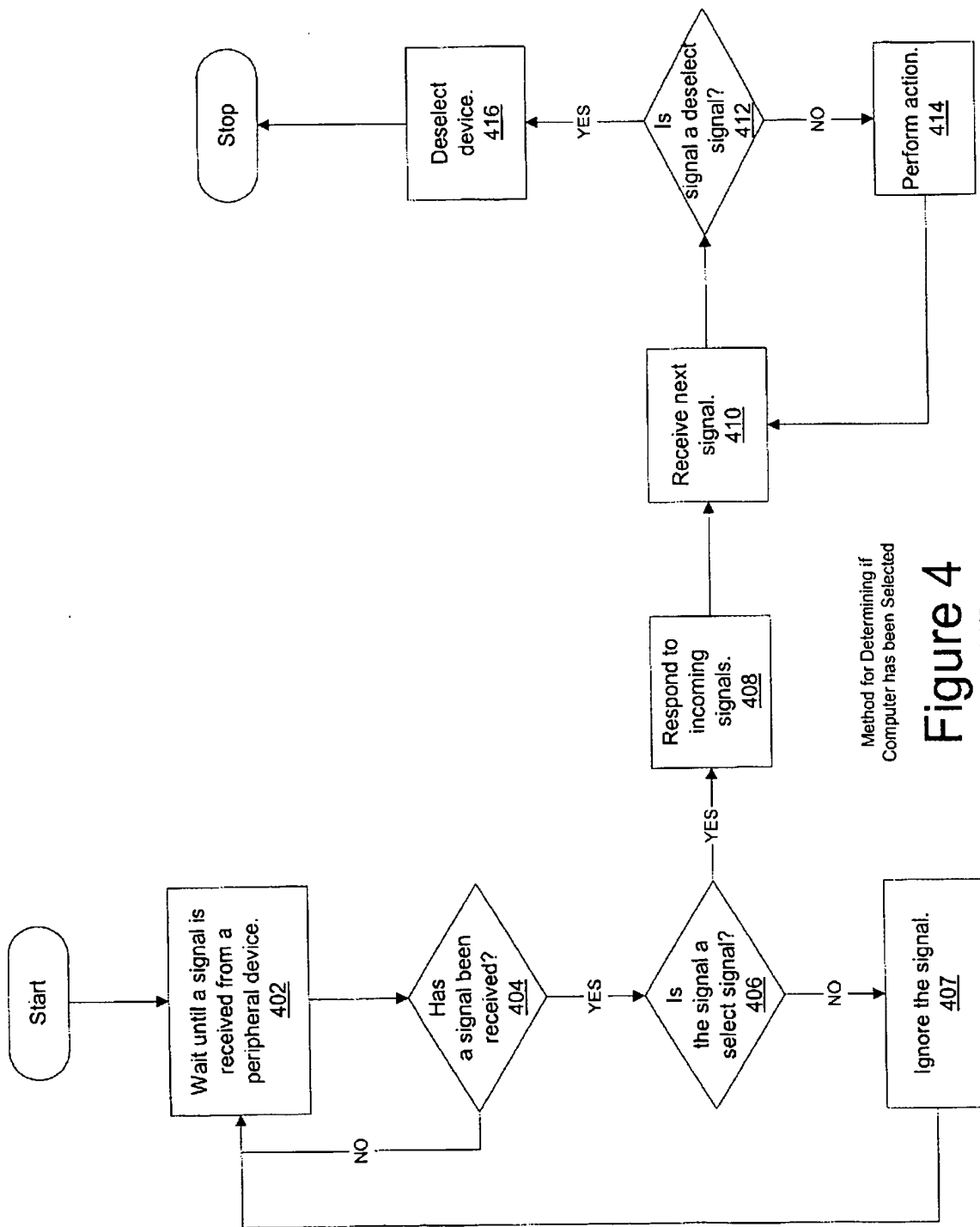


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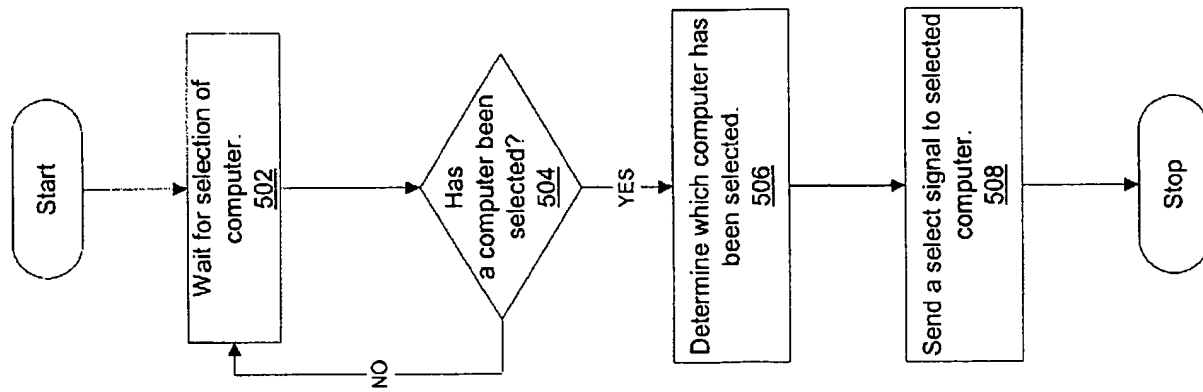
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Figure 3
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Method for Determining if
Computer has been Selected

Figure 4

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Computer Selection Method for
Keyboard

Figure 5

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